

## PATENT APPLICATION

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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of 2 months to September 19, 2004.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

is filed herewith.

has been filed.

3. Calculation of extension fee (37CFR 1.17(a) - (d)):

<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$110.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$420.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,480.00

4. Fee Payment

Charge extension fee to Account No. 02-1440. This is also a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Date: Sept 12, 2004

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